



February 20, 2014

Bob Oswald Environmental Protection Specialist Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215 Denver, CO 80203

Response

Re: Notice of 110 Construction Materials Reclamation Application Consideration O'Rourke Excavating, Inc., O'Rourke, South Fork Pit, File No. M-2014-005 (SHPO Project #65454)

Dear Bob Oswald:

Thank you for your correspondence dated February 12, 2014 (received by our office on February 18, 2014) regarding the above referenced subject project.

A search of the Colorado Cultural Resource Inventory database indicated that no cultural resource inventories have taken place in the vicinity of the proposed project area and no historic properties have been recorded within the subject property. However, our files contain incomplete information for this area, as most of Colorado has not been inventoried for cultural resources. As a result, there is the possibility that as yet unidentified cultural resources exist within the proposed project area.

Should human remains be discovered during the proposed project activities, the requirements under State law C.R.S. 24-80 (part 13) apply and must be followed.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. If we may be of further assistance, please contact Todd McMahon, Staff Archaeologist at (303) 866-4607/todd.mcmahon@state.co.us or Dan Corson, Intergovernmental Services Director at (303) 866-2673/dan.corson@state.co.us.

Sincerely,

Edward C. Nichols

State Historic Preservation Officer

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